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**A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER**  
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## B. FIELDS SEARCHED

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1. claims: 1-25

Television receiver with two remote controls and two video outputs that use a common picture format, wherein the common picture format is determined dependent on whether the first or second remote control is used.

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2. claims: 26-46

Wireless audio base station and a wireless audio receiver wherein the audio base station delivers the program schedule data as character code to the audio receiver.

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